

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 555**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2025**

**PROGRESS UNDER SFURTI**

555. DR. BYREDDY SHABARI:  
SHRI G LAKSHMINARAYANA:  
SHRI KRISHNA PRASAD TENNETI:

Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of number of clusters approved, functional/operational, pending clearance and yet to commence including handloom clusters under the Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI) along with their status across the country during the last five years, State/UT and district-wise in Andhra Pradesh including Nandyal, Anantapur and Bapatla Parliamentary Constituencies;
- (b) whether the Government has identified reasons for delays in operationalizing clusters in the various States including Andhra Pradesh and if so, the steps being taken to address these delays;
- (c) the total funds allocated, released and utilized under the SFURTI scheme in the country, State, district-wise in Andhra Pradesh including the said Parliamentary Constituencies during the last five years;
- (d) whether the Government is planning to expand the coverage of the SFURTI scheme to include more traditional industries and crafts, particularly in underserved regions like Rayalaseema and north coastal Andhra Pradesh and if so, the details thereof;
- (e) the details regarding the total number of individuals, especially women and youth, who have been benefited by the SFURTI scheme during the last five years across the country, State-wise, district-wise in Andhra Pradesh including the said Parliamentary Constituencies; and
- (f) the details regarding the total number of jobs generated and MSME clusters grown under the SFURTI scheme during the last five years, State-wise, district-wise in Andhra Pradesh including the said Parliamentary Constituencies?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

- (a): The continuation of Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI) is awaiting approval beyond 30.09.2022 as such any new proposals are not being approved. Details of clusters approved, became functional/operational, including handloom clusters, along with their status across the country during the last five years, State/UT wise and District-wise in Andhra Pradesh are annexed as Annexure-I.
- (b): Yes, the reasons for delay in the operationalization of the clusters have been identified by the Government and various steps, including regular follow up with the stakeholders w.r.t physical and financial performance, have been taken up to address the delay in operationalization of the clusters.
- (c): The consolidated fund is approved under SFURTI as such the funds are not allocated or released State wise or District.
- (d): No Sir. The continuation of SFURTI is awaiting approval beyond 30.09.2022 and the Government does not have any plan to include more traditional sectors and crafts.
- (e): Around 116,836 women artisans have been directly benefitted under SFURTI during the last five years. State wise details and District-wise details of Andhra Pradesh, are annexed as Annexure-I.
- (f): The details regarding the total number of jobs generated and clusters approved under SFURTI during the last five years in State wise and District-wise in Andhra Pradesh are annexed as Annexure-II.

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Annexure-I referred in part (a) and (e) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 555 due for reply on 06.02.2025

State/UT wise details and status of SFURTI clusters in the country during last five years

S. No.	State	Clusters Approved	Functional Clusters	Under Implementation clusters	Total Artisans benefited (No.)	Women Artisans
1	Andhra Pradesh	10	8	2	8492	2950
2	Arunachal Pradesh	2	2	-	799	407
3	Assam	20	18	2	12625	8636
4	Bihar	8	6	2	5426	2777
5	Chhattisgarh	2	2		1830	1225
6	Gujarat	10	7	3	4526	3760
7	Haryana	3	3		2117	1815
8	Himachal Pradesh	4	3	1	851	133
9	Jharkhand	12	10	2	6682	2295
10	Karnataka	19	10	9	11560	4874
11	Kerala	5	4	1	2317	1294
12	Madhya Pradesh	41	32	9	23095	12562
13	Maharashtra	23	14	9	13975	6933
14	Manipur	23	17	6	11872	6227
15	Meghalaya	5	5		1528	675
16	Mizoram	1	1		304	72
17	Nagaland	8	6	2	3017	1852
18	Odisha	48	22	26	35205	17068
19	Rajasthan	32	21	11	17849	8414
20	Sikkim	4	4		872	357
21	Tamil Nadu	11	4	7	3699	2093
22	Telangana	13	10	3	7909	4124
23	Tripura	2	1	1	557	222
24	Uttar Pradesh	51	35	16	29481	18402
25	Uttarakhand	4	3	1	2107	935
26	West Bengal	19	13	6	9787	6734
	<b>Total</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>218482</b>	<b>116836</b>

District- wise details of SFURTI clusters in Andhra Pradesh during last five years.

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>No. of Clusters approved</b>	<b>Functiona l Clusters</b>	<b>Under Implementation</b>	<b>No. of artisans benefited</b>	<b>No. Women artisans</b>
1	Bapatla	1	-	1	605	193
2	East Godavari	3	3	-	2836	400
3	Guntur	1	1	-	1007	399
4	Vishakhapatnam	2	1	1	1212	851
5	Vizianagaram	2	2	-	2009	894
6	YSR Kadapa	1	1	-	823	213
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8492</b>	<b>2950</b>

**Annexure-II**

**Annexure-II referred in part (f) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 555 due for reply on 06.02.2025.**

State wise details of no. of sustainable jobs generated during the last five years

S. No	State	Clusters approved	Functional Clusters	Total No. sustainable Job generated
1	Andhra Pradesh	10	8	7175
2	Arunachal Pradesh	2	2	799
3	Assam	20	18	11480
4	Bihar	8	6	4732
5	Chhattisgarh	2	2	1830
6	Gujarat	10	7	3563
7	Haryana	3	3	2117
8	Himachal Pradesh	4	3	551
9	Jharkhand	12	10	4949
10	Karnataka	19	10	4579
11	Kerala	5	4	1779
12	Madhya Pradesh	41	32	16050
13	Maharashtra	23	14	9757
14	Manipur	23	17	7933
15	Meghalaya	5	5	1528
16	Mizoram	1	1	304
17	Nagaland	8	6	2447
18	Odisha	48	22	14499
19	Rajasthan	32	21	12545
20	Sikkim	4	4	872
21	Tamil Nadu	11	4	1443
22	Telangana	13	10	5449
23	Tripura	2	1	256
24	Uttar Pradesh	51	35	20102
25	Uttarakhand	4	3	1603
26	West Bengal	19	13	7376
	<b>Total</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>145718</b>

District- wise sustainable job generated in Andhra Pradesh during the last five years.

S. No	District	No. of Clusters approved	Functional Cluster	No. of sustainable jobs generated
1	East Godavari	3	3	2836
2	Guntur	1	1	1007
3	Vishakhapatnam	2	1	500
4	Vizianagaram	2	2	2009
5	YSR Kadapa	1	1	823
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7175</b>